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## Table 1: Economy

| | | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter** | | | | | | |
| Unemployed persons | no. | 174 | 293 | 275 | 117 | 127 |
| Unemployment rate | % | 6.3 | 10.4 | 10.0 | 4.8 | 4.5 |
| | | | | | | |
| **TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Non-taxable individuals | no. | - | - | 662 | 831 | - |
| Taxable income (non-taxable individuals) | $m | - | - | 3.9 | 5.8 | - |
| Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals) | $ | - | - | 5 902 | 6 953 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| Taxable individuals | no. | - | - | 2 111 | 2 041 | - |
| Taxable income (taxable individuals) | $m | - | - | 74.1 | 78.1 | - |
| Average taxable income (taxable individuals) | $ | - | - | 35 105 | 38 267 | - |
| Net tax | $m | - | - | 14.9 | 15.0 | - |
| Average net tax | $ | - | - | 7 046 | 7 334 | - |
| Net tax as a proportion of taxable income | % | - | - | 20 | 19 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| Taxable and non-taxable individuals | no. | - | - | 2 773 | 2 872 | - |
| Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals) | $m | - | - | 78.0 | 83.9 | - |
| Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals) | $ | - | - | 28 134 | 29 207 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| **SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Age Pension - Centrelink | no. | 527 | 538 | 545 | 565 | 596 |
| Age Pension - DVA | no. | np | np | np | np | np |
| Carers Payment | no. | 60 | 74 | 90 | 113 | 117 |
| Disability Support Pension | no. | 464 | 465 | 476 | 486 | 499 |
| Newstart Allowance | no. | 264 | 238 | 224 | 238 | 211 |
| Parenting Payment - Single | no. | 222 | 233 | 221 | 206 | 183 |
| Youth Allowances | no. | 154 | 145 | 151 | 161 | 133 |
| | | | | | | |
| Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days | % | 77.3 | 77.9 | 72.6 | 72.5 | 75.0 |
| | | | | | | |
| **ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Wage and salary earners | no. | 1 947 | 2 012 | 2 083 | 2 147 | - |
| Wage and salary income | $m | 52.8 | 57.4 | 61.5 | 65.8 | - |
| Average Wage and salary income | $ | 27 124 | 28 506 | 29 513 | 30 628 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| Own unincorporated business earners | no. | 743 | 726 | 728 | 722 | - |
| Own unincorporated business income | $m | 11.2 | 10.6 | 6.7 | 6.2 | - |
| Average Own unincorporated business income | $ | 15 102 | 14 632 | 9 179 | 8 643 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| Investment earners | no. | 975 | 1 013 | 1 014 | 1 092 | - |
| Investment income | $m | 4.1 | 8.9 | 4.8 | 5.6 | - |
| Average Investment Income | $ | 4 241 | 8 800 | 4 588 | 5 141 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| Superannuation and annuity earners | no. | 72 | 79 | 82 | 92 | - |
| Superannuation and annuity income | $m | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.7 | - |
| Average Superannuation and annuity income | $ | 17 194 | 16 445 | 16 778 | 18 757 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances) | no. | 144 | 139 | 145 | 165 | - |
| Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances) | $m | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.5 | - |
| Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances) | $ | 2 297 | 2 234 | 2 488 | 3 001 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances) | $m | 69.7 | 78.5 | 74.5 | 79.8 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| **WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Males - 15 years to 24 years | no. | 202 | 211 | 206 | 227 | - |
| Males - 25 years to 34 years | no. | 245 | 236 | 236 | 241 | - |
| Males - 35 years to 44 years | no. | 274 | 272 | 277 | 271 | - |
| Males - 45 years to 54 years | no. | 212 | 229 | 239 | 246 | - |
| Males - 55 years to 64 years | no. | 126 | 133 | 143 | 148 | - |
| Males - 65 years and over | no. | 19 | 23 | 26 | 24 | - |
| Males - Total | no. | 1 078 | 1 104 | 1 127 | 1 157 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| Females - 15 years to 24 years | no. | 173 | 169 | 176 | 173 | - |
| Females - 25 years to 34 years | no. | 186 | 197 | 204 | 211 | - |
| Females - 35 years to 44 years | no. | 220 | 224 | 226 | 243 | - |
| Females - 45 years to 54 years | no. | 194 | 211 | 226 | 236 | - |
| Females - 55 years to 64 years | no. | 90 | 100 | 110 | 119 | - |
| Females - 65 years and over | no. | 7 | 7 | 12 | 9 | - |
| Females - Total | no. | 870 | 908 | 956 | 991 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| Persons - 15 years to 24 years | no. | 375 | 380 | 382 | 400 | - |
| Persons - 25 years to 34 years | no. | 431 | 433 | 440 | 452 | - |
| Persons - 35 years to 44 years | no. | 494 | 496 | 505 | 514 | - |
| Persons - 45 years to 54 years | no. | 406 | 440 | 465 | 482 | - |
| Persons 55 years to 64 years | no. | 216 | 233 | 253 | 267 | - |
| Persons - 65 years and over | no. | 26 | 30 | 38 | 33 | - |
| Persons - Total | no. | 1 948 | 2 012 | 2 083 | 2 148 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| **WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Managers and Administrators | no. | 116 | 134 | 141 | 140 | - |
| Professionals | no. | 158 | 146 | 144 | 157 | - |
| Associate Professionals | no. | 87 | 89 | 89 | 97 | - |
| Tradespersons and Related Workers | no. | 305 | 298 | 293 | 303 | - |
| Advanced Clerical and Service Workers | no. | 34 | 28 | 20 | 29 | - |
| Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers | no. | 327 | 343 | 361 | 370 | - |
| Intermediate Production and Transport Workers | no. | 173 | 187 | 182 | 185 | - |
| Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers | no. | 178 | 195 | 204 | 213 | - |
| Labourers and Related Workers | no. | 402 | 408 | 424 | 435 | - |
| Not Stated | no. | 170 | 187 | 223 | 223 | - |
| Total wage and salary earners | no. | 1 950 | 2 015 | 2 081 | 2 152 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| **ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Net worth per household | $'000 | 298.1 | - | - | - | - |
| Aggregate household net worth | $m | 667.8 | - | - | - | - |
| Equivalised net worth | $'000 | 190.6 | - | - | - | - |
| Assets per household | $'000 | 327.1 | - | - | - | - |
| Liabilities per household | $'000 | 29.0 | - | - | - | - |
| Debt to asset ratio | % | 8.9 | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | | |
| **COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS** | | | | | | |
| **Number of Businesses - at 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Non-employing businesses | no. | 360 | 339 | 339 | 321 | - |
| Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees | no. | 105 | 123 | 120 | 129 | - |
| Employing businesses: 5 or more employees | no. | 120 | 129 | 129 | 120 | - |
| Total businesses | no. | 585 | 591 | 588 | 570 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| **Business Entries - year ended 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Non-employing business entries | no. | 75 | 54 | 33 | 36 | - |
| Employing business entries | no. | 21 | 45 | 33 | 21 | - |
| Total business entries | no. | 96 | 99 | 66 | 57 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| **Business Exits - year ended 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Non-employing business exits | no. | 75 | 81 | 39 | 54 | - |
| Employing business exits | no. | 3 | 12 | 21 | 12 | - |
| Total business exits | no. | 78 | 93 | 60 | 66 | - |
| | | | | | | |
| **Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June** | | | | | | |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing | no. | 306 | 309 | 315 | 294 | - |
| Mining | no. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - |
| Manufacturing | no. | 39 | 36 | 33 | 30 | - |
| Electricity, gas and water supply | no. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - |
| Construction | no. | 51 | 51 | 51 | 57 | - |
| Wholesale trade | no. | 27 | 27 | 24 | 21 | - |
| Retail trade | no. | 27 | 21 | 18 | 27 | - |
| Accommodation, cafes and restaurants | no. | 9 | 12 | 6 | 9 | - |
| Transport and storage | no. | 24 | 39 | 42 | 36 | - |
| Communication services | no. | 0 | 3 | 6 | 6 | - |
| Finance and insurance | no. | 6 | 6 | 3 | 3 | - |
| Property and business services | no. | 60 | 51 | 57 | 51 | - |
| Education | no. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | - |
| Health and community services | no. | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | - |
| Cultural and recreational services | no. | 21 | 21 | 18 | 18 | - |
| Personal and other services | no. | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | - |
| Total businesses | no. | 585 | 591 | 588 | 570 | - |

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### Table 2: Population and People

| | | 2004 | 2005 |
|---|---|---|---|
| **ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June** | | | |
| Males - 0 to 4 years | no. | 195 | 192 |
| Males - 5 years to 9 years | no. | 227 | 204 |
| Males - 10 years to 14 years | no. | 255 | 264 |
| Males - 15 years to 19 years | no. | 191 | 197 |
| Males - 20 years to 24 years | no. | 137 | 146 |
| Males - 25 years to 29 years | no. | 134 | 130 |
| Males - 30 years to 34 years | no. | 175 | 167 |
| Males - 35 years to 39 years | no. | 236 | 231 |
| Males - 40 years to 44 years | no. | 256 | 241 |
| Males - 45 years to 49 years | no. | 269 | 277 |
| Males - 50 years to 54 years | no. | 234 | 241 |
| Males - 55 years to 59 years | no. | 243 | 231 |
| Males - 60 years to 64 years | no. | 160 | 177 |
| Males - 65 years to 69 years | no. | 110 | 113 |
| Males - 70 years to 74 years | no. | 84 | 76 |
| Males - 75 years to 79 years | no. | 68 | 70 |
| Males - 80 years to 84 years | no. | 35 | 35 |
| Males - 85 years and over | no. | 21 | 23 |
| Males - Total | no. | 3 030 | 3 015 |
| | | | |
| Females - 0 to 4 years | no. | 179 | 185 |
| Females - 5 years to 9 years | no. | 245 | 231 |
| Females - 10 years to 14 years | no. | 235 | 241 |
| Females - 15 years to 19 years | no. | 149 | 157 |
| Females - 20 years to 24 years | no. | 129 | 119 |
| Females - 25 years to 29 years | no. | 148 | 141 |
| Females - 30 years to 34 years | no. | 184 | 173 |
| Females - 35 years to 39 years | no. | 228 | 230 |
| Females - 40 years to 44 years | no. | 242 | 223 |
| Females - 45 years to 49 years | no. | 212 | 241 |
| Females - 50 years to 54 years | no. | 197 | 197 |
| Females - 55 years to 59 years | no. | 189 | 191 |
| Females - 60 years to 64 years | no. | 141 | 141 |
| Females - 65 years to 69 years | no. | 115 | 122 |
| Females - 70 years to 74 years | no. | 74 | 78 |
| Females - 75 years to 79 years | no. | 60 | 62 |
| Females - 80 years to 84 years | no. | 39 | 43 |
| Females - 85 years and over | no. | 38 | 37 |
| Females - Total | no. | 2 804 | 2 812 |
| | | | |
| Persons - 0 to 4 years | no. | 374 | 377 |
| Persons - 5 years to 9 years | no. | 472 | 435 |
| Persons - 10 years to 14 years | no. | 490 | 505 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Persons - 15 years to 19 years | no. | 340 | 354 |
| Persons - 20 years to 24 years | no. | 266 | 265 |
| Persons - 25 years to 29 years | no. | 282 | 271 |
| Persons - 30 years to 34 years | no. | 359 | 340 |
| Persons - 35 years to 39 years | no. | 464 | 461 |
| Persons - 40 years to 44 years | no. | 498 | 464 |
| Persons - 45 years to 49 years | no. | 481 | 518 |
| Persons - 50 years to 54 years | no. | 431 | 438 |
| Persons - 55 years to 59 years | no. | 432 | 422 |
| Persons - 60 years to 64 years | no. | 301 | 318 |
| Persons - 65 years to 69 years | no. | 225 | 235 |
| Persons - 70 years to 74 years | no. | 158 | 154 |
| Persons - 75 years to 79 years | no. | 128 | 132 |
| Persons - 80 years to 84 years | no. | 74 | 78 |
| Persons - 85 years and over | no. | 59 | 60 |
| Persons - Total | no. | 5 834 | 5 827 |
| **POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June** | | | |
| Population density | persons/km2 | - | - |
| **ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June** | | | |
| Percentage of total population | % | - | - |
| **OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006** | | | |
| Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia) | % | - | - |
| Born in North-West Europe | % | - | - |
| Born in Southern and Eastern Europe | % | - | - |
| Born in North Africa and the Middle East | % | - | - |
| Born in South-East Asia | % | - | - |
| Born in North-East Asia | % | - | - |
| Born in Southern and Central Asia | % | - | - |
| Born in Americas | % | - | - |
| Born in Sub-Saharan Africa | % | - | - |
| Total born overseas | % | - | - |
| **SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006** | | | |
| Percentage of total population | % | - | - |
| **LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer** | | | |
| Postgraduate Degree | % | - | - |
| Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate | % | - | - |
| Bachelor Degree | % | - | - |
| Advanced Diploma and Diploma | % | - | - |
| Certificate | % | - | - |
| Inadequately Described/Not Stated | % | - | - |
| Total with qualifications | % | - | - |
| **OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006** | | | |
| Managers | % | - | - |
| Professionals | % | - | - |
| Technicians and Trades Workers | % | - | - |
| Community and Personal Service Workers | % | - | - |
| Clerical and Administrative Workers | % | - | - |
| Sales Workers | % | - | - |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Machinery Operators and Drivers | % | - | - |
| Labourers | % | - | - |
| Inadequately Described/Not Stated | % | - | - |

**HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lone person households | no. | - | - |
| Group households | no. | - | - |
| Family households | no. | - | - |
| Total households | no. | - | - |

**FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students | no. | - | - |
| Couple families with non-dependent children only | no. | - | - |
| Couple families without children | no. | - | - |
| One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students | no. | - | - |
| One parent families with non-dependent children only | no. | - | - |
| Other families | no. | - | - |
| Total families | no. | - | - |

**INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago | no. | - | - |
| Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago | no. | - | - |
| Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago | no. | - | - |
| Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago | no. | - | - |

**PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Major Cities | % | - | - |
| Inner Regional | % | - | - |
| Outer Regional | % | - | - |
| Remote | % | - | - |
| Very Remote | % | - | - |

**PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Major Urban | % | - | - |
| Other Urban | % | - | - |
| Bounded Locality | % | - | - |
| Rural Balance | % | - | - |

**UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group | % | - | - |
| Persons caring for own children without pay | % | - | - |
| Persons caring for other children without pay | % | - | - |
| Persons caring for own children and other children without pay | % | - | - |
| Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others | % | - | - |

**ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Broadband connection | % | - | - |
| Dial-up connection | % | - | - |
| Other connection | % | - | - |
| Total internet connections | % | - | - |

**BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Births | no. | 62 | 68 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Total fertility rate | rate | 2.4 | 2.2 |
| Deaths | no. | 35 | 42 |
| Standardised death rate | rate | 9.0 | 7.8 |

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| 2006 | 2007 | 2008 |
|---|---|---|
| 195 | 208 | 221 |
| 201 | 196 | 198 |
| 248 | 235 | 216 |
| 212 | 205 | 219 |
| 143 | 155 | 158 |
| 134 | 133 | 139 |
| 167 | 148 | 135 |
| 214 | 190 | 180 |
| 241 | 250 | 263 |
| 271 | 294 | 284 |
| 247 | 242 | 257 |
| 232 | 241 | 243 |
| 206 | 232 | 247 |
| 116 | 106 | 126 |
| 74 | 81 | 81 |
| 73 | 77 | 75 |
| 33 | 39 | 45 |
| 20 | 17 | 17 |
| 3 027 | 3 049 | 3 104 |
| | | |
| 209 | 218 | 216 |
| 205 | 198 | 190 |
| 237 | 227 | 227 |
| 169 | 171 | 166 |
| 121 | 122 | 120 |
| 142 | 130 | 126 |
| 161 | 159 | 176 |
| 224 | 215 | 199 |
| 212 | 212 | 210 |
| 246 | 236 | 237 |
| 201 | 217 | 228 |
| 205 | 204 | 201 |
| 140 | 158 | 174 |
| 126 | 119 | 125 |
| 81 | 86 | 93 |
| 58 | 52 | 53 |
| 42 | 51 | 54 |
| 33 | 39 | 35 |
| 2 812 | 2 814 | 2 830 |
| | | |
| 404 | 426 | 437 |
| 406 | 394 | 388 |
| 485 | 462 | 443 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 381 | 376 | 385 |
| 264 | 277 | 278 |
| 276 | 263 | 265 |
| 328 | 307 | 311 |
| 438 | 405 | 379 |
| 453 | 462 | 473 |
| 517 | 530 | 521 |
| 448 | 459 | 485 |
| 437 | 445 | 444 |
| 346 | 390 | 421 |
| 242 | 225 | 251 |
| 155 | 167 | 174 |
| 131 | 129 | 128 |
| 75 | 90 | 99 |
| 53 | 56 | 52 |
| 5 839 | 5 863 | 5 934 |
| | | |
| - | - | 2.3 |
| | | |
| 3.9 | - | - |
| | | |
| 1.0 | - | - |
| 4.6 | - | - |
| 0.4 | - | - |
| 0.0 | - | - |
| 0.1 | - | - |
| 0.1 | - | - |
| 0.0 | - | - |
| 0.6 | - | - |
| 0.1 | - | - |
| 6.8 | - | - |
| | | |
| 0.8 | - | - |
| **nsus 2006** | | |
| 0.5 | - | - |
| 0.4 | - | - |
| 4.6 | - | - |
| 4.3 | - | - |
| 16.4 | - | - |
| 11.6 | - | - |
| 37.8 | - | - |
| | | |
| 20.9 | - | - |
| 8.5 | - | - |
| 16.3 | - | - |
| 8.5 | - | - |
| 10.2 | - | - |
| 7.3 | - | - |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 9.3 | - | - |
| 17.5 | - | - |
| 1.6 | - | - |
| | | |
| 459 | - | - |
| 34 | - | - |
| 1 552 | - | - |
| 2 045 | - | - |
| | | |
| 605 | - | - |
| 142 | - | - |
| 618 | - | - |
| 138 | - | - |
| 64 | - | - |
| 19 | - | - |
| 1 586 | - | - |
| | | |
| 4 725 | - | - |
| 580 | - | - |
| 3 207 | - | - |
| 1 737 | - | - |
| | | |
| 0.0 | - | - |
| 0.0 | - | - |
| 100.0 | - | - |
| 0.0 | - | - |
| 0.0 | - | - |
| | | |
| 0.0 | - | - |
| 0.0 | - | - |
| 33.0 | - | - |
| 67.0 | - | - |
| | | |
| 20.1 | - | - |
| 22.6 | - | - |
| 7.3 | - | - |
| 1.1 | - | - |
| 11.8 | - | - |
| | | |
| 10.6 | - | - |
| 36.0 | - | - |
| 0.6 | - | - |
| 47.2 | - | - |
| | | |
| 96 | 75 | 70 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.6 |
| 38 | 37 | 39 |
| 7.4 | 7.4 | 7.0 |

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### Table 3: Industry

| | | 2004 | 2005 |
|---|---|---|---|
| **BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June** | | | |
| Private sector houses | no. | 23 | 24 |
| Total dwelling units | no. | 23 | 24 |
| | | | |
| Value of private sector houses | $m | 2.4 | 2.9 |
| Value of new residential building | $m | 2.4 | 2.9 |
| Value of total residential building | $m | 3.0 | 3.4 |
| Value of total non-residential building | $m | 0.6 | 0.2 |
| Value of total building | $m | 3.7 | 3.6 |
| | | | |
| Average value of private sector houses | $'000 | 103.8 | 119.0 |
| | | | |
| **MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March** | | | |
| **Number by type of vehicle** | | | |
| Passenger vehicles | no. | 2 625 | 2 763 |
| Campervans | no. | 31 | 32 |
| Light commercial vehicles | no. | 1 265 | 1 321 |
| Light rigid trucks | no. | 52 | 51 |
| Heavy rigid trucks | no. | 179 | 170 |
| Articulated trucks | no. | 21 | 26 |
| Non-freight carrying trucks | no. | 4 | 5 |
| Buses | no. | 26 | 33 |
| Motorcycles | no. | 67 | 70 |
| Total registered motor vehicles | no. | 4 271 | 4 470 |
| | | | |
| **Rate per 1,000 population** | | | |
| Passenger vehicles | no. | 450 | 474 |
| Campervans | no. | 5 | 5 |
| Light commercial vehicles | no. | 217 | 227 |
| Light rigid trucks | no. | 9 | 9 |
| Heavy rigid trucks | no. | 31 | 29 |
| Articulated trucks | no. | 4 | 4 |
| Non-freight carrying trucks | no. | 1 | 1 |
| Buses | no. | 4 | 6 |
| Motorcycles | no. | 11 | 12 |
| Total registered motor vehicles | no. | 732 | 767 |
| | | | |
| **Age of vehicle** | | | |
| Less than 5 years old | no. | 598 | 631 |
| 5 years to less than 10 years old | no. | 825 | 933 |
| 10 years or older | no. | 2 848 | 2 906 |
| | | | |
| **Number by type of fuel** | | | |
| Petrol | no. | 3 474 | 3 602 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Diesel | no. | 755 | 819 |
| LPG/Dual/Other | no. | 42 | 49 |
| | | | |
| **GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June** | | | |
| Gross value of crops | $m | - | - |
| Gross value of livestock slaughterings | $m | - | - |
| Gross value of livestock products | $m | - | - |
| Total gross value of agricultural production | $m | - | - |
| | | | |
| **AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June** | | | |
| **Total area** | | | |
| Area of holding | ha | - | - |
| Cereals for grain | ha | - | - |
| Vegetables for human consumption | ha | - | - |
| Orchard trees (including nuts) | ha | - | - |
| All fruit (excluding grapes) | ha | - | - |
| Non-cereal broadacre crops | ha | - | - |
| | | | |
| **Total number** | | | |
| Sheep and lambs | no. | - | - |
| Milk cattle (excluding house cows) | no. | - | - |
| Meat cattle | no. | - | - |
| Pigs | no. | - | - |

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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| 2006 | 2007 | 2008 |
|---|---|---|
| 37 | 25 | 42 |
| 39 | 31 | 42 |
| | | |
| 5.9 | 3.3 | 6.4 |
| 6.1 | 3.7 | 6.4 |
| 6.8 | 4.5 | 7.4 |
| 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.2 |
| 7.5 | 5.1 | 7.6 |
| | | |
| 160.5 | 132.2 | 152.4 |
| | | |
| 2 834 | 2 893 | 2 930 |
| 35 | 35 | 35 |
| 1 366 | 1 395 | 1 422 |
| 50 | 50 | 53 |
| 188 | 189 | 191 |
| 19 | 20 | 26 |
| 6 | 6 | 4 |
| 36 | 40 | 41 |
| 82 | 88 | 95 |
| 4 616 | 4 716 | 4 797 |
| | | |
| 485 | 493 | 494 |
| 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 234 | 238 | 240 |
| 9 | 9 | 9 |
| 32 | 32 | 32 |
| 3 | 3 | 4 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 6 | 7 | 7 |
| 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 791 | 804 | 808 |
| | | |
| 664 | 709 | 693 |
| 994 | 985 | 987 |
| 2 958 | 3 022 | 3 116 |
| | | |
| 3 663 | 3 686 | 3 719 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 901 | 973 | 1 025 |
| 52 | 57 | 53 |
| | | |
| 18.0 | - | - |
| 12.8 | - | - |
| 15.0 | - | - |
| 45.8 | - | - |
| | | |
| 206 855.7 | - | - |
| 3 092.4 | - | - |
| 158.4 | - | - |
| 226.0 | - | - |
| 228.3 | - | - |
| 1 626.3 | - | - |
| | | |
| 590 380 | - | - |
| 760 | - | - |
| 18 109 | - | - |
| 122 | - | - |

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### Table 4: Environment and Energy

| | | 2004 | 2005 |
|---|---|---|---|
| **LAND AREA** | | | |
| Land area | km2 | - | - |
| | | | |
| **WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS** | | | |
| Area of agricultural land | ha '000 | - | - |
| Area irrigated | ha '000 | - | - |
| Irrigation volume applied | ML | - | - |
| Other agricultural uses | ML | - | - |
| Total water use | ML | - | - |
| Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land | % | - | - |

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| 2006 | 2007 | 2008 |
|---|---|---|
| - | - | 2 611.3 |
| | | |
| 207 | - | - |
| 4 | - | - |
| 8 492 | - | - |
| 1 914 | - | - |
| 10 406 | - | - |
| 1.9 | - | - |